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During the first half of this year the production quota of the "Mashinostroene" (Machine-Building) State Industrial Combine has been met 100.5 percent. During these 6 months the machine-building plants of the country have begun mess production on 63 new kinds of machinery and equipment, mostly for agricultural use. The schedule for the production of threshing and reaping machines has exceeded the required quota.

The 130 reaping machines manufactured during the first half of 1951, the 200 threshing machines, and the many other agricultural machines manufactured in the country, are in good operating condition for harvesting this year's rich crop in good time and without loss. The enterprises of the "Mashinostroene" Combine have become very efficient in machine-building and they are beginning mass production of tractors and adjustable ploughs, grain drills, cotton-seed planters equipped with cultivators and fertilizer-sprayers, parts for threshing machines, etc.

Simultaneously with the building of new machines, the production of spare parts for tractors has risen steadily in the enterprises of the "Mashinostroene" Combine. These enterprises can now manufacture 161 kinds of spare parts.

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